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GOD IS IS LOVE And NOTHING ELSE

PRAISE THE LORD.

GREENWOOD, MISS, Jan. 27, 1887.

DEAR INTERIOR.—Another little notice before we turn our backs upon the Yazoo swamps, it may be forever. The world is so big; time so short; and the work so pressing, that I feel at every place as if I would never have leisure to revisit it. But we may be back in this neighborhood this winter, before returning to Kentucky. No telling. I hear of purposes to invite us to half a dozen places, but they have not taken shape in tangible requests.

Our visit to Greenwood has been unique in this respect; that part of the troupe have been guests with a Jewish family, who have not the least leaning towards christianity, but like true children of the Patriarch, who welcomed strangers to his tent under the great oak at Mamre—gladly opened their doors to the temporary sojourners in their little town. I hope George and Cousin Judie will turn out the "angels unawares" to their most hospitable entertainers. Good Mr. and Mrs. Selliger, whom we number with our steadfast friends henceforth, took in our two and Lote's two girls and were only prevented from sheltering the whole party by the limited size of their little cottage. Their kind hearts were large enough, but rooms gave out. They have two fine, bright boys, trained by their mother in the strictly orthodox Jewish faith, but in such well-ordered obedience that "young America" appears at rather a disadvantage in comparison.

One custom they keep up touches me greatly. At all the outside doors, in a tin box, hung on the right "door post" there is a verse "in the Hebrew tongue," enclosed. It reads: "When I see the blood I will pass over you." Is this not affecting?

Monday night we had a curious interruption in mid-sermon. Since the meeting commenced two fine bird dogs, pointer and setter, have been in almost constant attendance, with their respective masters. I never saw finer specimens of their kind—of prodigious size and perfectly marked—and they are evidently town pets and privileged characters. As the devil would have it, they came to an open rupture on Monday night, and just as I was trying to enforce a very particular point in my discourse, they "clinched and fit," as the Salstonstall legend has it—and for a brief season pandemonium seemed broken loose. The hoarse growls of the infuriated dogs; the ladies seeking safe places on benches and chairs; men and boys closing around the scene of strife; some to aid in separating the combatants; others to see which would whip; until at last one intrepid friend—"may his tribe increase"—dashed into the melee and regardless of risk, seized the great setter around the neck and dragged him off, bodily, from the scene by main strength. It required a little time of waiting before the storm of disquiet settled to a calm sufficiently serene to resume the broken thread of discourse.

The yellow Yazoo has been on quite a rampage since the rain; its swollen flood laden with drift wood and almost out of bank, on the other side. Steamboats pass and repass nearly every day—some of them of goodly size and comely proportions; but small stern wheelers, for the most part; only, in every case, with most aggressive and disproportionate whistles, with which they make the frequent bends re echo, as they come and go. The daily trains give us regular mails. A great comfort.

Our meeting closed to night in fullest blessing. Five sixths of the entire audience promptly rose to their feet to respond to the call of—"Who is on the LORD'S side?" We are so glad and thankful the Master sent us to Greenwood. The dear people treated us generously and we lack for nothing. Praise the LORD! Ever in Jesus, GEO. O. BARNES.

LAWRENCE HOUSE, JACKSON, MISS., JANUARY 29, 1887.

DEAR INTERIOR.—We left Greenwood yesterday on the 2:45 P. M. train, bidden "God speed" by a number of kind friends, who did us the honor of meeting us at the somewhat distant depot, and accompanied for 15 miles by a few young folks, who wished to have the word with our young folks. I don't think mamma, Cousin Judie or I could have drawn them that far en route.

The run to Jackson was through an uninteresting swamp till darkness hid the uninviting landscape. We passed some very large cotton plantations—notably, one belonging to General Miles, of civil war renown, who owns several thousand acres of very fertile soil, through which the railway runs, greatly to its increase in value. He has on his estate a very fine forest of cypress trees, untouched by the axe, which he preserves with great pride and care. The track skirts it, quite a way, and it is very interesting as a specimen of what this whole swamp country was once full of; but which is becoming quite a rarity, as the traditional "woodman" becomes more inexorable in turning away from the pleading cry of "spare that tree." The cypress lumber will soon be as extinct as the buffalo promises to become.

It was nearly dark when we passed thro' Yazoo City, a thriving town of 3,000, which at one time we supposed would probably be our next preaching place after Greenwood. But the invitation hung fire for some reason and we passed it by. We may return to it, if all goes well.

Our branch line takes its time, achieving a maximum speed of about 18 miles an hour, including stoppages, which is all in favor of the rolling stock, but rather bad on passengers. We reached Jackson at 8.30—98 miles from Greenwood—and found our way to the excellent Lawrence House, a few steps away from the depot. A delicious supper soon set us to rights and most comfortable beds, joined with the "patter of the rain upon the roof," made sleep doubly enjoyable. We were hardly housed before it came down in genuine Mississippi fashion.

This morning the glorious sun was shining brightly and as we wait for our McComb train till 4.30 P. M., we have had an excellent opportunity of investigating what there is of Jackson. It will always be associated in my mind with the loss of the dearest friend of my boyhood, who was stabbed to death on Main street, nearly in front of the Capitol. He was provost marshal during the Federal occupation of Jackson, and called upon to do some unpleasant duty that cost him his life, poor fellow. He died in a moment, stricken by a dagger through the heart. I dare to say that no braver soldier, nor more chivalrous gentleman laid down his life during that unhappy struggle than Captain Joseph G. Crane, of Dayton, Ohio. I stood this morning at the very place where he fell and ran over, in imagination, the dreadful scene, enacted on the fatal spot, till my blood ran cold. The first person I questioned, in trying to find out where the tragedy occurred, happened to be an old resident, who saw the poor, slain body a few minutes after the deadly rencontre and who described in detail all the circumstances. I shall never forget that bit of pavement where his manly form was once stretched in death, nor the door sill of the store where his head lay pillowed, as his handsome features stiffened in death. It was too sickening to, linger long at the dreadful spot, though I could not bear to leave Jackson without making a pilgrimage of love to the place where he met death.

The capital of Mississippi is a straggling city, that I should say looks quite pretty in the summer, when the foliage is all out; but now is not so attractive; just because a loosely-built town shows at its worst in mid-winter. The Capitol is well situated on a crest or swell in the rather undulating landscape, but is only imposing in size and situation. It is time-stained and has rather a neglected look. The exterior stucco is peeled and cracked from the brick in places; and the ragged Brussels carpet on the floor of the Senate chamber, and the broken glass littering the halls and front piazza, do not impress the stranger with a sense of neatness and tidy housekeeping. The Assemblies are not in session this winter—once in two years being the rule—and this is the off year. Otherwise, the great, square building, with its orthodox dome and great front pillars, is not a bad specimen of architecture.

The postoffice is a handsome new structure and the governor's mansion a stately, old-time building, fitly symbolizing the present and the past on different sides of the same street. The suburbs are pretty, with many sightly villas of the Southern pattern.

Altogether, I am very favorably impressed with Jackson. I hope the dear LORD may open the way up to a meeting here some day. It has a nice, old fashioned, warm-hearted look about it. I warrant it is filled up with refined, well bred people—rather exclusive and aristocratic, I should say—at a guess. But I like "the gentry," always have, being a plebian myself; and I always expect to have a weakness for the "cavalier" rather than the "Roundhead." Is it a weakness? I have never been able, honestly, to settle that question.

Well, I must go to dinner. This is enough for Jackson; *en passant*, I may know it better in future. If I do, I may write about it more intelligently. Adios! Ever in Jesus, GEO. O. BARNES.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen has been in existence 13 years, has 17,000 members, and, it is said, has never engaged in a strike. The organization has evidently borne in mind, as a worthy example, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the best conducted industrial association in the United States.

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we grumble, growl and jaw, through slush
and slop we wade and flop, oh, January
thaw! With soaking feet we walk the
street, the worst we ever saw; it is no joke
to be in soak, thou January thaw.—[Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

Fiends on Trial.

[To the Editor of the Interior Journal.]

BARBOURVILLE, Feb. 1.—I have been attendance for several days at the trial of six prisoners charged with the murder and arson of the Poe family on the 22d of last October. The case is one of great importance. Mrs. Pamelia Worram, Alabama Mills, Brice Mills, Felix Mills, Elias Jackson and W. Rial Smith are the names of the accused parties. All these people lived near to and neighbored with Mrs. Poe and family. The persons burned were Mrs. Kittie S. Poe, Mollie Poe, Axie Poe, Laura Poe, Pearlie Poe, William Archer Poe, Mary Carns and Malinda Barns. All were burned, but a few of the bones of each, which were gathered up and placed in a box and buried. The place where all this occurred is in Knox county, about 12 or 15 miles from town. The parties implicated are well-to do for that portion of the county. It is admitted on both sides in this case that witnesses can be procured in that vicinity who will swear to almost anything. Like all other nighborhoods, there are of course some good citizens. Almost every person with whom I have talked believe them guilty of the offense charged.

The first testimony was taken in the case on last Tuesday. About 50 or 60 witnesses were examined by the Commonwealth, while the six defendants and five or six witnesses have been examined on the other side. A large number of other witnesses have been summoned on the part of the defense. The Commonwealth will then offer a few witnesses in rebuttal. Mr. W. A. Poe, an old man, who seems almost prostrated with his great grief, was the first witness placed upon the stand. His testimony in substance is as follows: "I live in Bell county, Kentucky; was living on the waters of Stinking Creek, in Knox county, in last October; my family, consisted of a wife and five children, and a girl whom I was raising and a hired girl; I was away from home working at the log business, when my family was burned; a man named Collitt came to Stony Fork of Straight Creek, where I was at work, on Saturday, and told me that my house was burned the night before. I started immediately and arrived a little before dark at the burned house; there were several people there and they had the remains of the bodies laying on a work bench in the yard; I noticed Mrs Worram was there and seemed to be doing all she could and was very much affected; was so much excited that I don't know who all were there; the house was a 1½ story log house, two rooms and a hall between them; a stone chimney at each end of the house; two windows in room where family stayed, one 12 10x12 and the other a 6 light 10x12 window; one window was in side of room and the small one on one side of chimney at end of the room; had some gold and silver money in the house, about $40; found none but one 25, one 10 and one 5 cent piece in silver; wife had breast pin and ear-rings; found none of them; had ring on her finger and others in trunk; none of them were found; had three zink trunks, one cotton mattress, with steel spring in each corner; none of them were found; also had feather bed and sewing machine and could find nothing left of any of these things; part of another body was found afterwards lying partly in the fireplace; it was not burned so badly as the others; I rented the house from Tom Gambull, a brother of Mrs. Worram; he came over the day I moved to put me in possession of the place and he and his sister had a few words with eachother; this fuss was finally settled and she helped him put some of her things out and said to me, 'This is your day, but mine will come after awhile.' After that she seemed to be friendly; she and my wife visited eachother and were friendly. I think Felix Mills and Alabama Mills were with Mrs. Worram at the burnt house when I got home."

The principal part of Caroline Rich's testimony was to the effect that she stayed at Mrs. Worram's and that Mrs. W. left home about 3 o'clock Friday evening, saying she was going to haul in some corn; she took the cattle and a sled with her; she did not come back for supper, but came between 12 and 1 o'clock at night; did not hear them say anything about burning the house.

Another witness said she heard Mrs. W. say the house would be burned: heard Brice Mills say the house should be destroyed.

Mrs. Worram, the principal defendant, said: "I was at home the night the Poe house was burned; I did not burn the house and did not know anything about it until Saturday about 1 o'clock. Jim Bingham told me about it first; I went at once to the place to see if I could do anything; helped to put out the fire around the burning bodies; the house was all burned down, except the sills; I stayed up there till about 12 o'clock or 1 o'clock and went home; Felix Mills and Alabama Mills went home with me."

Each one of the other defendants testified as to their whereabouts on that night, but have not been able up to this time to prove an alabi by any other parties. But they may do so yet. I do not believe they can, tho'. The testimony will probably be all in today. The opinion is that all the parties will be held. FISHIE

—LATER.—A dispatch announces that all of the bloody fiends were held without bail.

CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—Our town is unusually quiet this week, consequently there is a dearth of news.

—Rev. J. Q. Montgomery will preach at the Christian church next Lord's day and at night.

—Mr. Will Land has rented rooms in the corner hotel and gone to housekeeping there. Mr. Lou Pettus no longer smiles at the ladies behind the postoffice stand, having resigned his position there.

—Rev. John R. James, of Somerset, has been unanimously called to preach for the Baptist church here, and not only the members of that church, but all denominations earnestly wish that he will accept the call.

—Mr. Tom Carson is improving. Mr. Mc. Holmes and family are all about well again. Mrs. Kate Chadwick, Misses Hettie Harris, Fannie Redd and Mr. George James are on the sick list this week.

—The second term of the High School, taught by Mrs. Tarrant, began last Monday. Some 40 odd pupils' names are enrolled on the books and more are expected in a few days. Mrs. Tarrant's assistant teacher will arrive next week.

—Misses Lura and Laila Doores have returned from a visit to Miss Elma Baker, near Shelby City. Misses Mary Edmiston and Lizzie Hunter are mingling with friends in Stanford. Dr. Joe Graham and Mr. Morris Harris went to Louisville Monday. The latter expects to enter the list of traveling salesmen. Miss Maggie Davis is visiting friends in Garrard. Mr. John S. Edmiston paid a flying visit to the folks at home this week. Miss Kate Davis is in the country with Mrs. Harrison Thurmond. Rev. J. M. Bruce's pretty wife accompanied him here last Sunday.

Letter From Missouri.

[To the Editor of the Interior Journal.]

RAYTOWN, January 27.—Through the kindness of my old friend and associate Mr. John Traylor, of your county, I have been a constant reader of your valued paper for several years. It is like getting news from home, besides, I see in it so many things I heartily approve of, and so few that are distasteful, I must place it above the average journal of to-day. It may be that I am a little partial to my native State, though the society of Jackson county, Missouri, is as much like that of Stanford and vicinity as any two places could well be. This county, or the neighborhood in which I live, was originally settled by Kentuckians, some having lived here for 50 years or more. The old standbys are going one by one, and their places are being filled by eastern people and in fact men from every nation under heaven, from the Sunny South to the ice bound regions of the North. They are a new people and with them come new enterprises and new ideas. In the public school system, for instance, this county is far ahead of Kentucky or any of the older States. It seems the newer the county the better facilities for gaining an education, yet these things must be paid for and the tax receipts we get each year would make our old friends about Stanford open their eyes, if they had such bills to meet. It has been as high as $2 50 on the $100, yet the people meet them without much complaint.

Since the "land boom" about Kansas City, we are all rich, very rich. Indeed how can we help it? When a man can afford to pay 40 cents per bushel for oats, sow them on land worth from $200 to $600 per acre, raise 30 bushels per acre, sell them at 20 cents per bushel and live you know he must be rich. Such will be the condition of very many people in Jackson county the coming summer. It is evident that there are people in this world with more money than brains.

This county experienced the longest drouth the past summer and fall it has ever had. It has been seasonable since October, but not enough to start the springs or fill up the wells. Stock water is exceedingly scarce. Barns and corn cribs are about as empty of feed as the springs and wells are of water. Almost every farmer is buying feed. A. M. WOODSON.

—The strike of the 1,800 employes in Lorrillard's tobacco factory at New York has ended after a month of self-enforced idleness in a complete failure to secure their demands.

—Mrs. Wackerle, of St. Louis, after 15 years of litigation, which has driven her to poverty, has secured $8,000 of the $25,000 insurance due upon the life of her husband, who died at Shreveport, La., in 1872, payment of which was resisted by the companies issuing the policies.

—A mob took Richard Woods, who assaulted a respectable young lady, from the jail at Leavenworth, Kan, put a rope around his neck and attaching it to the pummel of a saddle, dragged him over a mile, leaving him dead in the road, with every vestage of clothing torn from the body.

—The Commissioner of Pensions estimates that it will require an additional clerical force of one Assistant Chief of Division at $1,800; fifteen section chiefs at $1,400 each; 150 clerks of class 1 at $1 200 each; fifteen record clerks at $1,000 each; 35 clerks at $1 000 each and five messengers, making an aggregate increase in the force of 221 employes, and an addition to the pay roll of $257,000.

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W. P. WALTON.

THE Covington *Commonwealth* in advocating the repeal of the internal revenue tax on tobacco, claims that the use of the dirty weed is as much of a necessity to some people as bread and meat. The same argument might be and is used for whisky. But in both cases it is too weak for wear. The taste for tobacco is more of a cultivated one than that for whisky, for the latter can be made to be exceedingly palatable. Tobacco to the beginner is always nauseating and disagreeable. The trouble with our usually bright and reliable contemporary is that it is trying to uphold the fallacious doctrine of protection and is forced in doing so uses specious and untenable arguments. The tax on tobacco comes not from the grower, but the user, and its repeal would be of little value to the former. Certainly not so much as the repeal of more onerous tariff taxes on those necessities, about which there can be no dispute. The repeal of the tobacco and whisky tax would simply reduce the revenue that much without any positive relief to the people. Let the war tariff go first and then it will be time enough to have free whisky and tobacco.

THE key to the dead-lock was presented by Representative Robinson at the joint meeting of the Indiana Legislature Wednesday afternoon and after a very creditable speech, he used it very handsomely. His vote gave Judge Turpie the necessary 76 and he was declared duly elected Senator to succeed Bloody Shirt Harrison, amid the wildest scenes of excitement and enthusiasm. The other labor members voted for Harrison and his final vote was 74. It is said that Turpie agreed with Robinson to advocate certain labor legislation, which caused him to change his vote. Judge Turpie has been twice a member of the State legislature, one term of which he served as Speaker. He also filled an unexpired term in the U. S. Senate, to succeed Bright, who was expelled. At present he is United States District Attorney and his election is said to be a victory for the President.

THERE is an occasional streak of the genuine Kentucky chivalry manifested in the cold and heartless North. For instance, the 15 year-old wife of old Jacob Van Woort was assaulted by him in their home at Stockdale, Pa., when she quickly seized a pistol and blew the old rascal's brains out. This was the story she told before the jury and she was the only witness. She was represented by no attorney, but the jury believed her straightforward statement and quickly acquitted her. Then an admiring multitude bore her in triumph to the home of her mother, amid expressions of satisfaction and gladness.

THE ovation tendered Andy Wepler by the small politicians and others on his return from the penitentiary, Tuesday, where he had served the pitiful sentence of two years for killing Henry Clay, is a disgrace to the city of Louisville, and is properly characterized as such by the *Commercial* and *Post*. A hero returning from daring deeds of war could not have been more highly honored than was the convict, whose hands can never be cleansed of the blood of his fellow man.

NICHOLASVILLE, which, judging from the oft repeated tales of bloodshed and violence had almost become the modern representative of Sodom and Gomorrah, has taken a virtuous spasm and adopted ordinances nearly in keeping with the Connecticut blue laws. Something is needed over there, but we fear the new laws will not be any better executed than the old ones. There are always laws enough. The execution's the thing.

THE silly story is telegraphed from Chicago that that fool gal, Van Zandt, has been married to August Spies, the anarchist, by proxy, his brother taking his place in the ceremony. There are various opinions as to the legality of the marriage, but there can be only one of its utility. At any rate, marriage by proxy will never become popular.

WEST VIRGINIA and New Jersey haven't yet followed the lead of Texas and Indiana, but are still dead locked on the Senatorship. Camden in the former State still lacks a few votes to make his calling and election sure. With his mint of money he ought to have settled the matter long ago.

THE Owensboro *Inquirer* speaks thus flatteringly of Senator Harris' visit there: "He made a splendid impression on all who met him, and should Harris stock go up in the next three months, as it has in the last forty-eight hours, he will carry Daviess county with ease.

THE flowers that bloom in the spring are nothing to compare in beauty and freshness to the *Courier Journal* and *Times* in their new dress. The only objection to the type is that it gives those papers too much the appearance of the Chicago publications.

THE dept reduction during the month of January was $9,750,000, The receipts for the month were $4,000,000 more and the expenses $3,000,000 less than a year ago. This is a democratic administration and don't you forget it.

A FELLOW named Craven has taken charge of the Columbia Dishrag and judging by the get up of his first issue he is by name and nature the same.

—Secretary Whitney has named his baby Frances Cleveland.

THAT prince of demagogues, Col. Al Berry, of Newport, has formally announced that he is a candidate for governor and states in an interview with a Cincinnati paper that he is against the new revenue law and for Federal aid to schools. His own county may compliment him with her vote, but no other county that has any respect for itself will instruct for him, when they find out his real character.

AN attempt to assassinate Judge Fitzgerald was made in Cincinnati by an unknown fiend, who rang his door bell and fired a ball through his clothes, when he responded to its call. The judge is about the only real good officer in the city and of course the devils that infest that Paris of iniquity want to get away with him.

THE height of absurdity was reached when a Newport jury mulcted Everet Niles $25 for killing Jacob Glick, although the murder was unprovoked. Next we will hear of a jury presenting a murderer with a chromo in addition to his freedom from penalty.

THE tactics of the Indiana republicans was to hold a little convention of their own and elect Senator Harrison his own successor, but it is hoped that they changed their minds before doing anything so childish.

THERE was a total eclipse of the Sun at Cincinnati Tuesday, observable only in that immediate locality. It had never shed its rays to any extent in these or other parts than that.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—The Wickham House, at Hinton, W. Va., burned; loss $10,000.

—Alexander's college building at Barksville, valued at $1,500, was destroyed by fire.

—The Mackinac House, Mackinac Island, was totally destroyed by fire, with a loss of $60,000.

—The President has approved the act granting pensions to soldiers and sailors of the Mexican War.

—Alabama will follow Kentucky's lead and make gambling a felony. One House has already passed a bill to that effect.

—By restoring an estate confiscated in 1707, Holland has made Alderman Groff, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., worth $76,000,000.

—Will Hammond, 27, of Danville, Ind., took laughing gas to have a tooth pulled, and since that time can neither speak nor move.

—Hugh Price, who succeeds his dead father in Congress, has just taken his seat, and is the youngest member of the House, 27 years.

—The February floods are upon us and Cincinnati, Louisville and all the Ohio river towns are preparing for their annual inundation.

—James B. Pace and John S. Wise, of Richmond, Va., have purchased the property and rights of the Southern Telegraph Company for $460,000.

—A prohibition amendment to the constitution will be submitted to a vote of the people in Michigan and it is likely the same will be done in Texas.

—John D. Lisle, discount clerk in the First National Bank of Baltimore, has disappeared. He is said to be a defaulter to the amount of $80,000.

—A British ship with emigrants for Western Australia collided with an unknown vessel off the coast of Brazil and sunk with its 300 people.

—At Andover, Pa., Rebecca Buck suicided by hanging and her mother on finding the body, quietly procured a rope and let herself down by the side of it.

—Dr. Matt. Alexander, of Knoxville, Tenn., committed suicide by taking morphine. He left a note saying, "I am going to hell. Tell my son to go to heaven."

—A mulatto named West, a clerk in the Interior Department, is on trial for an indecent assault upon Mrs. Page, a white woman holding an inferior clerkship under him.

—The Pension Committee has very properly and promptly reported adversely to making Mrs. Logan and Mrs. Blaine a present each of $2,000 a year for the balance of their lives.

—Governor McCreary has gotten a stay in the government prosecution against Dr. Tabler, of Harrodsburg, for failure to comply with the terms of his contract on the Kentucky river.

—Gen. John H. Reagan, the Congressman who introduced the Interstate Commerce bill, was elected on the 31st ballot to be Senator of the great State of Texas. Maxey was his leading competitor.

—An attempt was made to blow up the New York and Richmond steamer, Guyandotte, with dynamite, but fortunately the explosion did not do a great deal of damage. The vessel returned to New York for repairs.

—The Supreme Court of Missouri has granted a stay of execution until April 1 to H. M. Brooke, alias Walter Lennox-Maxwell, the trunk murderer, pending an appeal. The execution was to have taken place yesterday.

—An aeronaut named Baldwin at San Francisco leaped from a balloon at a hight of 1,000 feet from the ground and descended with a parachute. He came down with great rapidity and fell through a tree to the ground, but was unhurt.

—Mike Broh, a young clothing merchant at Harrodsburg, has skipped, leaving sundry checks and unpaid bills as mementoes. He yielded to the fascinations of gambling and the experts in that gambler's paradise made short work of him.

—Gen. Echols, of the Chesapeake and Southwestern, has presented a gold, stem-winding watch to Willie Lamb, who heroically saved a train from destruction by warning the engineer in time to prevent his running into a big rock on the track.

—Congress passed an amended bill by which $100,000 is appropriated for the building of new barracks at Newport.

—The circuit court of Christian has decided that W. P. Winfre, democrat, was elected county judge by a majority of 3.

—Another of the boodle aldermen, McNeil, has been found guilty of bribery at New York and will follow his brothers to Sing Sing.

—Isaac Barnes, an eccentric Bostonian, was lately urged by his Baptist wife to subscribe for a new church. He agreed to subscribe $5,000 on condition that all baptisms should take place in hot water.

—Fanny Davenport, the actress, gave Charles Talbott, night clerk at the Gayoso Hotel, at Memphis, her diamonds to keep. That night he lit out taking them with him and has since been able to conceal himself. The jewels are valued at $35,000.

—At Atlanta, Dave Bland and Sam Brooks, mill hands, quarreled. Brooks attacked Bland, felling him with a blow that shattered his jaw bone. Bland with an ax dealt his antagonist a blow in the breast with such terrific force as to lay bare his heart causing instant death.

—Commissioner Black announces that only soldiers of the Mexican war who served 60 days therein, and are now 62 years of age, can secure a pension, unless they can prove disability or dependence. The widow of such a soldier is also barred from the benefits of the act, unless she has reached sixty-two years, or is dependent upon others for her support. The Commissioner also informs the surviving officers of the war that the act places them on the same footing with the soldiers, and they only receive pensions upon the same condition as they. The amount of pension can in no case be greater than that of the soldier; that is $8 per month.

LONDON, LAUREL COUNTY.

—Mumps are said to prevail in portions of the county and bandanna bandages promise a rise.

—A car-load of convicts have been sent down to Corbin to work on the Cumberland Valley road.

—The delightfully delightful weather with which we were blest the first days of the week are followed by thunder, lightning and heavy rains.

—The ladies of the London Women's Christian Temperance Union have organized a walking club. It can not be foretold just how zealous they will be, but it is hardly expected they will insist that their Sunday-night-beaux be made to walk before—say 11 o'clock,

—Zachariah Estridge and Silas Williams were arrested Saturday and taken before the United States Court at Louisville Tuesday, by Deputy Marshal Riley, on a charge of fraud in pension claims, amounting to $1,781. These parties are republicans of Clay and Jackson counties.

—An unfortunate Swiss, whose name we did not learn, fell upon the street Monday in a fearful epileptic fit, lasting for more than a quarter of an hour. He said he was trying to reach Knoxville, Tennessee, where he has a brother; and a purse was made up to pay his railroad fare to that place.

—The ever-smiling Dave Jackson, with the F. A. Gerst Company, notions, Louisville, has finally got his samples arranged and drops down among his home merchants for a starter. That's David all over never forgetting his friends, and it is safe to predict his friends will not forget him. His charming young wife is with him and will probably remain here while her husband makes a tour of the upper mountain counties.

—The remains of Mr. Murray Boreing were interred Sunday with the honors of the Grand Army of the Republic and surpassed in point of impressiveness any burial services ever held here. The dense throng of people in attendance attested the high esteem in which he was held, while the funeral march, rendered so touchingly by the London brass band and the mournful tolling of bells, added deep solemnity to the occasion.

—Squire J. W. Root, of Clay county, was in town. S. J. Conn, Altamont, paid us a visit Sunday. Humphrey Faris, East Bernstadt, was in town Tuesday. Paul Schenck, president of the Bernstadt Colonization Co., was in the city Tuesday. R. B. Craft visited Stanford Tuesday. Chris. Parman, Willis Pearl and little Jarvis Williams are sick. B. R Baker and T. J. Johnson are making arrangements to erect a steam saw mill near Esomtown, this county. Jack Edwards and Lizzie Williams, for moonshining, are late arrests. Col. Tiffany left Tuesday night for Washington City, stopping off at several intermediate points on business connected with the pension bureau. C. W. Jones and A. B. Brown, county and circuit clerks respectively, have moved into their new quarters in the courthouse.

—"The Star of the Cheyenne Indians," son of Blazing Star, second chief of his tribe, delivered two exceedingly interesting lectures at the court-house Sunday afternoon and Monday night upon the long mooted Indian question. He made some rather startling disclosures to many of our people, at the same time impressing them with the truthfulness of his statements; paid his respects in no complimentary terms to the unscrupulous Indian agents of the government, exposing the gross wrongs perpetuated upon a long-suffering and much-abused people by these scoundrels; also touched up a few republican Indian fighters and politicians, in whose downfall he rejoiced, and paid a glowing tribute to President Cleveland upon his position on the Oklahoma land question. "Star" is a luminary of more than ordinary brilliancy and oratorical ability, and Monday night held his immense audience almost spell-bound for two hours and a half.

MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY.

—An infant of James Jones, near Pine Hill, died Monday.

—William Clark will resume operations at his distillery March 15th or before.

—The Good Templars organized a lodge here Tuesday night with twenty members.

—James Rash was tried before Judge Colyer, Wednesday, and adjudged a lunatic.

—Rev. P. J. Hiatt has been engaged to preach at the Christian church the ensuing year.

—Our postmaster is making arrangements for sending and receiving night mails. This will be a great convenience to our people.

—J. M. Fish has bought of C. W. Adams, for $400, the store-room occupied by J. L. Whitehead, the druggist. Mr. W. will continue business in the house.

—From this date I will sell Cloaks, Jerseys, Heavy Gloves and Woolen Goods at cost, also all my stock of Winter Boots. Call early for Bargains. F. L. Thompson.

—Lola, a 17-year-old daughter of Geo. Howell, at Livingston, who has been very low with consumption for some months, died Tuesday and was buried Wednesday.

—Mrs. Cynthia Frye and Dan Lackey are having some trouble over some corn. Lackey swore out a writ and Mrs. Frye was arrested Wednesday and trial set for Friday.

—Our esteemed friend, D. N. Williams, to whom, by the way, we are indebted for items at various times, has just returned from a very pleasant business trip to Dr. T. J. McGuire's and the N. E. portion of our county.

—If this, the 24, be that gentleman's day of resurrection, it might be said up to noon that the burrowing swine has had no occasion to flee from the wrath that is supposed to follow up such occasions; the light dispenser not having cast a single ray upon his form.

CASH BARGAINS.—Granulated sugar, 14 pounds for $1; C sugar 16 pounds for $1; best prints 6¼ cents per yard, other grades in proportion. I want to make room for spring goods and must have money to buy them with. All persons owing me on accounts or notes must come and settle. L. B. Adams. tf

—Mr. John Perkins, a prominent business man, connected with the tobacco firm of Albright & Martin, of Brodhead, was married to Miss Manie Martin, eldest daughter of Richard Martin, of the firm of Albright & Martin, at Brodhead, Tuesday evening, Rev. Z. B. Shackelford officiating.

—The full and explicit report in Tuesday's *Courier-Journal* of the examining trial of the parties, in progress at Barbourville, charged with the murder and burning of the Poe family, in Knox county, some time since, does credit to your old correspondent, "Fishie." We hope his special edition almanac has succeeded as it deserved to do.

—The way of the local news gatherer is not always an easy one. For instance, in writing up the Brodhead marriage we had our bachelor friend, J. H. Vanhook, neatly married off and we were congratulating him on his good fortune in getting such an estimable partner for life. It was but a short time until we were told that W. T. Perkins was the happy man. Of course our report was changed to conform to the new order of things, only to be rubbed again on receiving information that it was neither Mr. VanH. or W. T. P., but John Perkins. If after making the different changes we havn't the name yet properly arranged, then we give it up.

—Mrs. J. R. Case, mother and sisters, of Brodhead, are visiting Mrs. Houk. Miss Katie B. will remain and attend Mrs. Nesbitt's school. Mr S. W. Parris, who has been here some three years in the merchantile business, is endeavoring, on account of his health, to close out all his possessions here with a view toward locating in California. Capt. A. H. Evans is on a visit to Zanesville, Ohio. F. P. Kellogg, who was division engineer during the K. C. extension, stopped over here Tuesday night. Squire A. J. Pike has moved from Pine Hill to the Glades neighborhood. Mrs. J. W. Nesbitt was at Brodhead Tuesday evening to witness the Perkins-Martin nuptials.

—A special meeting of the members of the Christian church here takes place to night, Wednesday, for the purpose of electing or appointing officers. A number of the members, more especially those who have any spirit of go-ahead-ativeness about them are under the impression that the church should have more life, and better works than has been shown in the last few years and think it a good idea to put in a few new officers and put the matter on a different footing so as to get more new members as well as to induce many old ones to return who have not attended on account of matters having been managed by some who are objectionable to every one. One of the causes seems to be that most of them seem afraid to speak out on the subject or offer a remedy. This is not as it should be.

—We have just received the intelligence of the accidental killing of Leonard Martin, a young man of exceptionable character, aged about 25. He was the son of Judge Caleb Martin, who lives about 18 miles North-east of this place, just beyond the Jackson line. On Tuesday, the 25th ult., he with some other men were chopping and getting out saw-logs on his father's place. In the fall of one of the trees they had cut, it struck an old poplar standing a short distance off, putting its limbs in a swaying motion, when one of them broke off, flying back to where the men were standing, striking young Martin in the head, tearing it open, scattering his brains and of course killing him instantly. He was buried the next day and hundreds gathered to witness the burial of one who was loved and respected by the entire community.

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PERSONAL.

—R. B CRAFT, of London, was in town Wednesday.

—MR. A. R PENNY has about recovered from his two weeks' illness.

—A. T. NUNNELLY and Dr. J. F. Peyton are on the sick list this week.

—J. P. DAVIS, ESQ., of Monticello, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Richard Burnett.

—J. A. CARPENTER, our excellent depot agent, is disabled with the rheumatism and sore throat.

—MRS. TRUEHEART will lecture at the Methodist church Friday night.—[Paris Kentuckian.

—REV. H. C. MORRISON, a great favorite here, preached at the Methodist church last night to a good crowd.

—DR. H. BROWN took in the minstrel show. It's a cold day when he or Uncle Lewis Russell get left in a case of that kind.

LOCAL MATTERS.

FRESH YEAST to-day at S. S. Myers'. •

CARPETS.—We are opening this week our spring line of carpets. Owsley & Craig. •

SALT AND COAL.—Will sell 7 bushel barrels of salt at $150. Coal always on hand. Isaac Hamilton, Rowland. •

THE republicans of Anderson instructed for Col. W. O. Bradley for governor, first last and all the time. Bully boys. Draw on us whenever you see fit.

BANK STOCK.—I will sell at auction next county court day, at Stanford, 20 shares of stock in the First National Bank. Sale at 11 o'clock. H. T. Bush. •

ON our fourth page to-day will be found a striking and instructive illustration of the comparative worth of the various kinds of baking powders now on the market.

DEATH OF A GOOD CITIZEN.—News reached us at a late hour last evening that Mr. Robert R Gentry, Sr., died suddenly of apoplexy. He was about 60 years of age and an excellent citizen.

A THUNDER storm, accompanied by vivid lightning and rain, began about 6 o'clock Tuesday night and lasted till midnight. The rain continued all day Wednesday and till yesterday.

THE room in which the Commercial bar was kept is being remodeled for Mr. Harris, who will open a restaurant therein. The toper on viewing it no doubt soliloquizes: "Alas, to what base uses may we come."

GEN. CASH CLAY it out in a list of appointments to present his claims for the nomination by the republicans for governor. Stanford is spared. It's no use to come here, general; we are all for Billy Bradley.

CAPT RICHARDS has been in office just a year and we take occasion to remark on the anniversary that he and his estimable assistant, Miss Rose, have given the most entire satisfaction. The postoffice was never better conducted.

STANFORD is at last without a bar-room, the license of the last having expired at midnight February 1. We shall now begin to see the effects of the prohibition law, though not in full, since our suburb of Rowland has two which will run till May 1st.

THIS is a great country, we may take occasion to remark. Away up in the Northwest a blizzard is prevailing, with the mercury down to 25 below zero. Here thunder clouds are of daily occurrence and the weather warm enough to start the flowers to blooming.

THE storm of yesterday morning produced a darkness so intense that lamps had to be used in our well-lighted office for several hours after sun-rise. The rain fall was very heavy and the thunder and lightning accompaniment made it look more like a summer storm than one in the dead of winter.

AL. FIELD'S Minstrels gave a capital show to a nearly full house of delighted people Tuesday night. It has many new and pleasing features and is first class throughout. The telephone business was very amusing and Mr. Fields kept the house in a roar with his funny messages and local hits. The music was good, the dancing excellent and the performance clean. Mr. Field is a whole-souled, liberal hearted man and his company a collection of gentlemen.

THE ground-hog didn't see his shadow and that's why we smile.

A NUMBER of valuable farms are offered at public and private sale in this issue.

I HAVE some notes and accounts I will bring suit on after March 1st, if not settled before. W. H. Higgins. •

FOR SALE.—My house and lot situated near the engine House on the Crab Orchard pike at Rowland. Terms made known on application. Mrs. Kate Dudderar. •

THE Warm Spring Indians, now at Danville, will be at our court next Monday to introduce the Indian remedies on the street. Dr. Waite the manager, will be with them as lecturer. •

WE are requested to state that W. H. Smith only owes the National Bank of Hustonville $855 and that is fully secured. No one in Hustonville, we learn, will lose a dollar by the failure.

THE subscription to the stock company for the purpose of buying and operating the Stanford mill property grows slowly, though but little effort has been made to obtain subscriptions. Its projectors are sanguine of ultimate success.

THE county attorney of Clark, offended at an allusion to himself by John L. Bosley in his paper, publishes a card denouncing Bosley in the most offensive terms. Brother Bosley needn't fear much from such an adversary. A brave man never resorts to mud-slinging cards, when he is unjustly attacked.

AN examination of the assessor's books shows that Hon. John Sam Owsley is the largest tax payer in the county and I. Shelby Tevis, T. L. Carpenter and W. G. Welch next in order named. No list, however, reaches $50,000. The books show some strange figures, many of our reputed rich men giving in less than $10,000.

A CONVENTION of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the Christian church here next Tuesday and Wednesday and our people should make it a point to see that the visiting ladies are properly and pleasantly entertained. Mrs. L. A. Nield will deliver a lecture Monday day night at 7 o'clock. Other distinguished lecturers will also be here.

THE *Daily Indicator*, a railroad paper published in New York, under date of January 29th imparts this stupid piece of information: At a meeting of the directors of the Chesapeake & Nashville railway, held yesterday, it was decided to go ahead with the construction of the Northern division of the road. The connection with the Kentucky Central road will be either at Danville or Lexington.

PAXTON.—The suggestion of our McKinney correspondent that J. B. Paxton, Esq., would make an admirable representative in the next Legislature, will, we believe, strike a responsive popular chord, because he is capable, honest, temperate and an advocate of temperance. The very excellent race that he made for the nomination for county attorney, shows the high esteem in which he is held by all who know his many excellent traits of mind and heart.

ELATED over the final answer to her prayers that the bar rooms should go, Mrs. Ed Caldwell, who has reason to wish them wiped out, decided all by herself to signalize the expiration of the last license by ringing the Baptist church bell at midnight Tuesday. Accordingly she gave it such a ring that it awakened half the town under the belief that the whole place was on fire and there was hurrying to and fro in hot haste and many a shirt tail fluttered in the breeze. One or two women fainted and the devil was to play generally, till the cause of the ringing was explained. Mrs. C.'zeal is to be admired, but it would be well if when she wishes to celebrate in the future that she let some of the citizens at least into the secret.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.—Tom Connelley, a brakeman on Captain J. E. Duke's train, fell between the cars half a mile from Nelsonville, Tuesday, and was literally cut to pieces, his body being strewed along the track for yards. These were gathered together and taken to Nelsonville where an inquest was held. It seems that he was sitting on the 8th car from the engine and in answer to a call for brakes got up and in stepping to the 9th car slipped and fell to the track, and all the balance of the train passed over him. Connelley was a citizen of this county, his home being at Milledgeville. He married a sister of Bill Gresham and she and several children are left in needy circumstances. He had only been working for the Louisville and Nashville about three weeks, coming to it from the K. C., on which and also the C. S. he had been employed.

GAMBLERS' PARADISE.—John G. Pulliam, the bright and wide-awake local editor of the Harrodsburg *Democrat*, was here a short time this week, in exile because he did not wish to appear before Judge Russell and a grand jury and explain these items: "There is more gambling in Harrodsburg to the square inch and more people living without labor—size taken into consideration, than any other place on the globe. • On the grand jury is an expert 'seven up' player, who is also acquainted with the 'ways that are dark' when it comes to a game of 'poker.' The grand jury should get him to describe the feelings of a man with a 'king-full' trying to swoop in a 'pot' when the other fellow held four jacks. He tried it once himself." The judge had issued a special order to the sheriff to bring the body of Pulliam before him, but John got wind of it and took his body off with him out of the officer's reach.

MARRIAGES.

—Judge Thomas J. Ballard and Miss Mary F. Witherspoon were married in Lawrenceburg.

—Miss Susan, daughter of Dr. David W. Yandell, of Louisville, was married Tuesday to James F. Buckner, Jr.

—A Pennsylvania man who had lived in single cussedness for 85 years came to his senses the other day and took to himself a wife, a blushing widow of four score and three.

—At Brodhead, February 1st, at the residence of R S Martin, the bride's father, Mr. John M. Perkins to Miss Manie E. Martin. Attendants, J. H. Vanhook and Miss Mattie Crow. Elder Z. B. Shackelford officiated. We predict a happy future for this elegant, competent young couple, and extend the congratulations of their many friends. V.

RELIGIOUS.

—A revival at the Baptist church, Newport, conducted by Rev. Garrett, of Maysville, has resulted in 50 additions.

—The Mormons profess to believe that Brigham Young is alive and will shortly appear as one risen from the dead.

—The Methodist year-book for 1887, just out, says there are 4,322,763 Methodists in the United States, 1,289,475 in all the rest of the world; grand total, 5,612,237. Counting five adherents to one member, make a population of 28,061,190. The world's population being fourteen hundred million, one out of every 50 is attached to this great church.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP

—Hay and corn for sale. Eph Pennington. •

—FOR SALE,—A fresh milk cow. J. E. Bruce. •

—Fifty tons of hay ready baled, for sale, John Bright, Stanford. •

—A good number of lambs have been engaged for June delivery at 5 cents.

—FOR SALE.—A car load of broke mules. James A. Doty, Hyattsville, Ky. •

—Sixty first class feeders for sale. Apply to W. M. Catron, at Nunnelley's stable. •

—I have 100 bushels of home-raised clover seed for sale. J. S. Murphy, Stanford, Ky. •

—In Louisville cattle are steady at 1½ to 4 35; hogs firm at 3½ to 4.90 and sheep do at 2 to 4 cents.

—Lightning struck Wilkerson's stable near Eminence, burning it, two fine mares and a couple of Jersey cows.

—FOR SALE.—A limited quantity of Welcome seed oats. One hundred bushels per acre has been produced from this variety. Wearen & Menefee. •

—J. E Bruce bought of F. M. Bollar 61 acres of land adjoining his farm on Hawkins Branch, for $2.300, and bought of the Jackson heirs 20 acres, also adjoining him, at $35.

—Dr. J. B. Owsley tells us that there is quite a look up in hog meat. Pork has advanced 75 cents on the barrel, sides 40 cents on the 100 pounds, and corresponding advances in all other cuts.

—The Senate passed a bill Wednesday appropriating $10,000, to be immediately available, for the purchase and distribution by the Agricultural Department, of seeds for the drouth stricken section of Texas.

—Mattingly & Simms sold to Lee, Hudson & Co., 11 mules at $140. At Glazebrook's sale 30 head of yearling mules brought $65 45; aged mules from $75 to $125; yearling steers $23; fat do. $28, and 60 barrels of corn $1.82.—[Lebanon Standard.

—John A. Thompson, of Montgomery, sold Saturday to Charles Cecil, of Columbia, Tenn., 40 yearling mules at $87. John A. Judy purchased yesterday of Hub. Stevent 16 fat cattle, and of Eldred Bean a car load, weight 1,650 lbs., at $4 25 per cwt.—[Winchester Democrat.

A Sensible Suggestion.

[To the Editor of the Interior Journal:]

MCKINNEY, February 2, 1887.—There seems to be a quietly growing sentiment that Joe B. Paxton must be our next representative in the Legislature and I ask the use of your columns to call on the democrats all over the county to urge him to consent to be a candidate. I honestly believe that if he is a candidate he will have no opposition within the party and but little, if any, outside of it. He would come so fully up to the standard of being in fact a *Representative* of the people of Lincoln, one of the best counties in the State, that I believe the desire for his election would be almost unanimous. He has the brain capacity that would make him the peer of any other representative in the House. His sterling integrity, diligent industry and fine business capacity would soon mark him up as the model representative. He is a man of fixed and well known principles and could, therefore, always be relied on. He has a head full of plain, practical common sense, and would not, therefore, try to deceive the people by coming before them on the hobby of a demagogue; and he is so conscientious in his devotion to what he considers right that he would never be found "dodging a vote," or wasting the time and money of the people in trying to win a cheap reputation as a crank, or a buncombe orator.

He may not desire the office, but unless I am greatly deceived, his sense of patriotic duty will compel him to yield to the will of the people and become their representative.

DEMOCRAT.

—Wm. Montgomery killed Henry Anteater, at Georgetown, by striking him with a brick. Both are colored.

—Milliard Butler, the midnight assassin of McCoy, at Louisville, did not get the usual relief from the Court of Appeals, so he will be taken to Frankfort at once to serve his life sentence.

GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT.

Lancaster.

—Col. J. W. Weisiger has purchased the West property on Lexington avenue for $1,200.

—Marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to James A. Stapp, of Madison county, and Miss Ella V. Jennings, of this county.

—Mr. J. W. West, chairman of the republican county committee, has issued a call for a convention at the court house on February 12, to appoint delegates to the Louisville convention and to transact other important business.

—Dr. Elias Fisher, one of our oldest and most prominent citizens, is ill at his residence near town. Mr. M. D. Hughes and Prof. J. M. Harbison went to Lexington Thursday to be examined by the civil service commission. Miss Minnie Dinwiddie, of Hustonville, is on a visit to friends here and will remain and take part in the cantata which will be presented next week. Dr. A. S. Price has gone to Gallipolis, O., to practice his profession.

—COURT NOTES.—The jury in the Bright will case returned the following verdict on Wednesday evening: "We of the jury find that the paper in the contest purporting to be the last will and testament of J. H. Bright, deceased, is the true last will and testament of said J. H. Bright, deceased." Messrs. Noel, Tomlinson, Breckinridge and Owsley were employed for the appellants and Messrs. Jacobs, Bradley, Harding and Kauffman for the appellees. Joseph Turner, who shot Joshua Aldridge December 25, has been indicted by the grand jury for unlawful shooting.

—It is really painful to note that no one seems willing to announce himself a candidate for the legislature in this county. While other and less important counties are whooping things up with three or four candidates for each position, no still small voice is heard uplifting itself asking for the honor in glorious old Gaarard. If the office must seek the man it is certainly high time the office was getting on its seeking clothes and preparing to pounce down down on the object of its affection. There are lots of good material here and a good democrat can easily be elected over any republican who will offer himself.

—A man of rather prepossessing appearance arrived in Lancaster about two weeks ago and applied for board at Mrs. M. E. Holmes. His business, he claimed, was that of selling spectacles. After remaining here several days he went to the livery stable of Engleman & Farris and hired a horse and buggy, ostensibly to take a trip to the country to sell goods in his line. This was the last heard of him, the horse or the buggy until a few days since when the owner of the turnout received a letter from him dated at Cincinnati in which he stated that Mr. Farris would find his horse and buggy at a livery stable in Danville, and that he would pay his bill just as soon as his financial condition, which at the time was in a shattered state, would admit. He made no reference to his unpaid board bill which amounted to $5 50.

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FEBRUARY 24TH, 1887.

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5 08 a m	.....	9 52 p m	.....	..... Eutaw	9 11 p m	.....	6 29 a m	.....
7 40 p m	.....	12 30 a m	.....	..... Meridian.....	6 40 p m	.....	3 15 a m	.....
5 00 a m	.....	7 35 a m	.....	..... New Orleans.....	10 40 p m	.....	8 00 p m	.....
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How a Hasty Act Ruined a Family.

Fourteen years ago Chandos Golding, a then promising young man of twenty-three, graduated with the honors of his class from the Norfolk, Va., Normal School. Six months after his valedictory to his Alma Mater, he was united in marriage to Miss Cyrilla Henderson, the acknowledged belle of the county, and began his career in the commercial world under the most auspicious circumstances. Then followed two years of unalloyed connubial bliss, during which Dame Fortune smiled benignly upon his financial endeavors, until he had accumulated a snug little sum with which to defy the proverbial "rainy day."

It was just at this period, in the empyrean of his joy, when presumably he was about to exclaim, "Soul, take thy ease," that the iconoclast came to shatter his bright dream. It happened in this wise: One day, picking up a note in his wife's apartments, he indifferently opened and read it. It was addressed "Darling C.," and subscribed "affectionately, Felix." The denouement fell like a thunderbolt from a clear sky. It was plainly evident that Felix Brame, the dissolute son of a neighboring farmer, had succeeding in alienating the affection of the prepossesing blonde, although he had been a persistent but unsuccessful suitor for her hand prior to her marriage with young Golding.

The note, which was liberally interspersed with epithets of the most endearing character, indicated the following night as the time when he would call, showing the liason to have existed for some time. Golding, who was to have departed on the following morning, to be gone several days on business pertaining to his mercantile trade, immediately formulated his plans, revenge being the predominant element that ever prompted him to their execution.

Ostensibly there was no alteration in his original programme. Leaving at the specified time, he returned and secreted himself in the house, and as the despoiler of his domestic felicity let himself in the rear way he opened fire with a navy revolver and Brame sank a corpse across the threshold.

After the shooting he at once surrendered himself to the authorities. When the trial came on there was developed one of the most startling and peculiar dramas ever enacted in real life.

The evidence as adduced by a number of witnesses established the fact that Mrs. Golding had in her employ as maid Cassie Clarendon, an extremely pretty young woman, who for a considerable period had displayed a decided weakness for the society of young Brame; and to her it was that he had addressed the fatal note, which she had lost in the boudoir of her mistress while exercising her duties as attendant upon her. Principally owing to the fact that the murdered man attempted to gain an entrance to the house surreptitiously, his slayer was acquitted. The naturally delicate constitution of Mrs. Golding gave way under the horrible circumstances, coupled with a long and tedious trial, and two months after its end she died in a fit of nervous prostration. e died death her husband closed out his business interests and left the scene of the tragedy, a broken hearted man.

His wife never forgave him for doubting her fidelity; and thus for 12 years, overcome by never ceasing sorrow and remorse, he has wandered from place to place, an exile from peace, growing from bad to worse, until last week, in the aimless, desultory manners of years, he drifted to this place, a man of middle age, but exposure and the continued use of alcohol had destroyed his mind and reduced him to such a physical wreck that he had the appearance of a tottering imbecile.—[Covington Commonwealth.

Western Emigration,

The movement westward during the coming season promises to be the largest ever known in the history of emigration. This is largely due to the fact that while in former years each season's activity was confined to the particular section which happened to be in favor at that time, at the present the entire western country claims attention and each section offers advantages which attract the settler.

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DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—There are 34 appearances thus far on the Circuit Court docket.

—Mrs. Jennie R Dillehay has sold out in Chattanooga and will probably return to Danville to live.

—The Al G. Field minstrel troupe played to a good house Wednesday night. They go to Harrodsburg to-day.

—John Stodghill will shortly remove his butcher shop to the room on Main street formerly occupied by the Adams Express Company.

—Mr. A. P. Wilson has converted the parlor of the old Central Hotel into a neat store room and will soon fill it with a stock of family groceries.

—A telegram was received this morning announcing the death, at some point in Kansas, of Bud Harlan, a son of James L. Harlan of this county.

—A negro girl named Cecie Hays, 15 years old was declared insane by a jury on Tuesday. She is in jail until a place for her can be obtained in one of the asylums.

—Warren Russell bought on Wednesday from E. R Russell a mare and colt for $250. The mare is by Lud, son of Ericson, and in foal by Judge Ruger; the weanling also by Judge Ruger.

—In referring to the fact that Mr. W. J. Lyle, democratic candidate for the nomination for Representative, spoke at North Fork station last Saturday, your correspondent would, had he known it, have stated that the appointment was Judge Breckinridge's, that Mr. Lyle was there by invitation and that Capt. Grubbs was also invited. There was no intention on the part of Mr Lyle to "slip up" on either of his competitors.

—Mrs. G M. Cresay, of Elizabethtown, is visiting her sister, Mrs J. H. Thomas. A party of young folks are going from here to Louisville to see Edwin Booth play Hamlet Tuesday night Walker Fry is back from a week's absence at Memphis. Rev. and Mrs. E H. Rutherford have returned to their home in Paris, after a visit to the family of Mrs. C. C. Young. Judge Robert J. Breckinridge has returned from Lancaster, where he has been attending circuit court.

First Controller Durham has heretofore decided that only under two conditians can he reopen a case decided by his predecessors, viz: Where mistakes have been made in matters of fact resulting from errors in calculation; and in cases of rejected claims, where material proof is afterwards discovered and produced. In an argument recently heard by him the point was raised that where the United Supreme Court reverses a decision of the Comptroller and gives judgment to the claimant, the Comptroller should reopen all similar cases previously passed on by himself or his predecessors. The Comptroller holds otherwise, however, and has given an opinion to that effect. He says that while such a decision by the Supreme Court does not authorize him to reopen cases decided by his predecessors, yet it would govern him in his future action. The amount involved in the decision is about $350,000.

A powder that is composed chiefly of phosphorus, and designed to supplant ordinary gunpowder for stage purposes, has been devised by a New York inventor, who, as a test of its qualities, placed himself in the midst of a dozen or more "supers" at a theatre a day or two ago, and permitted them to blaze away at him with their muskets only a few inches from his head. It is put up in cartridges, so thin that when discharged the whole charge completely disappears. No trace of it can be found. The report is described as being as loud, the flame as vivid, and the smoke apparently as dense as that of ordinary gunpowder, but it has the advantage of giving forth no odor.

One of the strangest of religious sects is that which calls itself The New and Latter House of Israel. Its headquarters is in Chatham, England, in which town its devotees are building an immense temple, which will cost $250,000. They believe that they will not die and that they are the remnant of true Israelites who will reign with Christ for a thousand years. Their founder was a man named Jezriel, who is now dead. His death was a great shock to the believers, but his wife claimed that it was an accident, and declared herself to be his successor.

In nearly all the States the courts have held that it is legal to dun a man by means of a postal card. But it is unjust all the same, to the debtor; not that the sentimental injury to his feelings is of any consequence, but in giving the postmaster and his friends an opportunity to read the dun, the debtor's chances for obtaining further favors of a monetary nature are appreciably curtailed. The judges should have thought of this.—[Boston Budget

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BILL NYE: "If I were a moralizer instead of a light and frothy writer and advance agent of the over-worked fool-killer, I would say that the average American almost works himself to death for forty years in order that he may stagnate and suffer for the other 10 or 15 years. Thus he becomes a part of that great, restless army of health seekers who take in the summer resorts of the North and the winter resorts of the South in their joyous journey to the tomb.

—Raymond Belmont, son of August Belmont, the New York banker, shot and killed himself in the shooting gallery of his father's home, probably accidentally.

Prohibition is steadily marching on; and the drug business in Kansas is equalled only by the jug business in Georgia.—[New York World.

THE INVALID PENSION BILL.

As Passed by Congress and Signed by the President,

Be it enacted, etc., That in considering the pension claims of dependent parents, the fact and cause of death, and the fact that the soldier left no widow or minor children, having been shown as required by law, it shall be necessary only to show by competent and sufficient evidence that such parent or parents are without other present means of support than their own manual labor or the contributions of others not legally bound for their support; *Provided*, that no pension allowed under this act shall commence prior to its passage, and in case of applications hereafter made under this act the pension shall commence from the date of the filing of the application in the Pension Office.

SEC. 2. That all persons who served three months or more in the military or naval service of the United States in any war in which the United States has been engaged, and who have honorably discharged therefrom, and who are now or who may hereafter be suffering from mental or physical disability, not the result of their own vicious habits or gross carelessness, which incapacitates them for the performance of labor in such a degree as to render them unable to earn a support, and who are dependent upon their daily labor for support, shall, upon making due proof of the fact according to such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may provide in pursuance of this act, be placed on the list of invalid pensioners of the United States, and be entitled to receive, for such total inability to procure their subsistence by daily labor, $12 per month, and such pension shall commence from the date of the filing of the application in the Pension Office, upon proof that the disability then existed, and continue during the existence of the same in the degree herein provided: *Provided*, That persons who are now receiving pensions under existing laws or whose claims are pending in the Pension Office; may, by application to the Commissioner of Pensions, in such forms as he may prescribe, receive the benefits of this act; but nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to allow more than one pension at the same time to the same person or pension to commence prior to the passage of this act: *And provided further*, That rank in the service shall not be considered in applications filed thereunder.

SEC. 3. That no agent, attorney, or other person instrumental in the presentation and prosecution of a claim under this act shall demand or receive for his services or instrumentality in presenting and prosecuting such claim a sum greater than $5, payable only upon the order of the Commissioner of Pensions, by the Pension Agent making payment of the pension allowed, except in cases heretofore prosecuted before the Pension Office, when, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Pensions, a fee of $10 may be allowed in like manner to the agent or attorney of record in the case at the date of the passage of this act; and any agent, or other person instrumental in the prosecution of a claim under this act who shall demand or receive a sum greater than that herein provided for, for his services in the prosecution of the claim, shall be subject to the same penalties as prescribed in section 4 of the act of July 4, 1884, entitled, "An act making appropriations for the payment of invalid and other pensions of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1885, and for other purposes."

SEC. 4. That section 4716 of the Revised Statutes is hereby modified so that the same shall not apply to this act: *Provided*, that this act shall not apply to those persons under political disabilities And no person shall be pensioned under this act for any disability incurred while engaged military service against the United States.

Having been requested by a number of soldiers, who are interested in the foregoing bill, to prepare their claims, I hereby notify all such that as soon as I can secure a copy of the regulations governing the preparation of the same, which I will receive direct from the Hon. Secretary of War, I will proceed with promptness and dispatch to prepare all such claims as shall be given in my charge. The law only allows agents to charge a fee of $5 for their services in prosecuting claims under this Bill. GEO. H. MCKINNEY.

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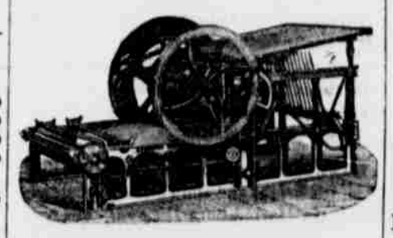
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